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TIN-WARE,

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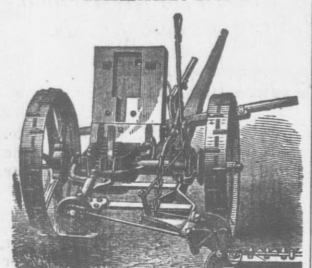
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And will be Promptly and Neatly Done at

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Collections and remittances promptly

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G. W. CRICKSHANK,

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Always on hand for sale, Clocks,

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Buttons, Watch Chains, Watch Keys, Key

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Modern facilities. Fine building, furnished

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for lady boarders. For Catalogue, address

the Principal, R. H. SKINNER, A. M., Dover,

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WESLEYAN Female College,

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September 9th, 1878, there will be a NEW

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throughout the building, NEW pianos, the

modern conveniences NEWLY introduced to

add to the comfort of the young ladies both

in the public and private rooms and all this

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the President.

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United States Hotel,

(At P. W. & B. Depot),

Wilmington, Delaware,

GEO. W. ORTLIP, - Proprietor.

HAVING OPENED and re-fitted the

above Hotel, I respectfully inform my

friends and the public that I am ready to ac-

commodate guests in first-class style and at

moderate rates.

Ample accommodations for horses and car-

riages in connection with this house, with

careful hostlers.

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Jobbing of all kinds, prompt,

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On and after this date we will do plain

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advance on above price for shoeing horses

at our place.

Having increased our facilities for manu-

facturing and jobbing, and having determi-

ned to turn out only good work, and at prices

to suit the times. We respectfully solicit a

share of public patronage in the future.

Middletown, Del., March 9, 1878.-if

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town, Del., I would be glad to serve the pub-

lic with the choicest BREAD, CAKES and

CONFECTIONERY, of any new manufacture,

at the most reasonable prices. I have in con-

nection with my Bakery and Confectionery a

large ICE CREAM PARLOR, fitted up in a

neat and handsome manner, where ladies and

gentlemen will be served with the utmost at-

tention.

I am also manufacturing plain and fancy

Cakes which I will wholesale at city prices.

Fine Cakes always on hand. Ornamented

Cakes made to order in the best manner, and

at short notice. Wedding cakes a specialty.

Give me a call. M. CUMMINGS,

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RELIABLE.

I have undersigned respectfully informs the

citizens of Middletown and vicinity that

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and Carriage, to do all kinds of HAULING at the

lowest rates. Coal and Lumber hauled at

short notice and on the most reasonable terms.

Orders for baggage or other parcels left at

H. R. Wilson's Cigar Store, or at the Post

Office will receive prompt attention.

Good Building Sand always on hand.

W. W. WILSON.

Grain Wanted!

FOR WHICH THE HIGHEST MARKET

Price will be paid. On land or water.

GEO. M. D. HART,

Townsend, Del.

dec 1-ly

Select Poetry.

MEETING.

FROM THE SPANISH.

Many years have floated by

Since we parted, she and I.

Now together here we stand,

Eye to eye and hand to hand.

I can hear her trembling sighs,

See the sweetness in her eyes.

Silently I hold and press

Her soft hand with tenderness.

Who shall fathom thee?

Who shall reveal the mystery

Hidden between loving eyes,

Burning hands, and answering sighs?

—ALEXAN. S. CONANT, in Harper's Magazine for October.

THE HARD TIMES.

The Cause of Business Depression and

the Remedy!

Senator Bayard's Address.

Tariff Revision, Civil Service Reform

and Honest Money the Remedy!

FRANK TALK ABOUT FINANCE.

Now it is proposed, by those to

whom I have referred, to abolish

money of value and not resume its use

at all, but to issue paper certificates of

the Treasury which are to be called

"absolute" money, that is absolutely

never to be paid at all; and that is

the sort of talk as set up in the in-

terest of the laboring man as opposed to

the capitalist. How sickening and

base does it seem to be in this country

to hear these cries raised of class

against class of our citizens. What is

capital? The accumulation of labor.

What created capital? Labor and

nothing but labor. What makes pro-

perty? Labor and capital conjoined

with enterprise. What is the soul of

enterprise? Hopefulness, confidence

in its reward. Idle capital means idle

labor, and idle labor means idle capi-

tal, and the two must work together, and

when they are separated both must

anguish and suffer. No man is to be

called a statesman who proposes a law

that is in the interest of either capital

or labor alone. In the very nature of

things, money is necessary; for they are

rationally inseparable.

It is the duty of every man of us to

stand firmly in opposition to these

wild, unmeaning cries, however we

may feel for the distress that causes

them, especially in the manufacturing

centres, in large cities to which, ever

since the war, population has been un-

happily streaming from the country.

We do live in sad troublous times, and

we must live through them like honest

men. On shipboard, when the storm

is raging and hope seems almost dead,

the cry is often heard, "Break open

the spirit room," but the true captain

will have a firm guard at the door to

keep the men back and to save his

ship and save the lives of his crew and

foolish creatures who invoked their

own destruction.

We have only to stand in the van

courageously and the day will break

and we will come through our present

trouble. The Good Book tells us to

"Remove not the ancient landmarks

which thy fathers have set," and, in

the many of our fathers, of Washing-

ton, of Hamilton, of Jefferson, of Mad-

ison, of Webster, and of Calhoun, I

ask that the ancient landmark of an

honest money be not removed. Let

me hear you something from one of

Daniel Webster's speeches:

"Sir, I pronounce the author of such

a measure to be guilty of attempting

a detestable fraud on the community;

a double fraud; a fraud which is to

cheat men out of their property and

out of the earnings of their labor by

first cheating them out of their under-

standings.

"The natural hatred of the poor to

the rich," Sir, it shall not be till the

last moment of my existence; it shall

not be when I am drawn to the verge

of oblivion when I shall cease to have

respect or affection for anything on

earth, that I will believe the people of

the United States capable of being

effectually deluded, cajoled and driven

about in herds by such abominable

frauds as this. If they shall sink

into the mire of poverty, let them

do that point, if they so far come to

men as to yield to such pretences and

such clamor they will be slaves al-

ready; slaves to their own passions,

slaves to the fraud and knavery of

pretended friends.

"The natural hatred of the poor against

the rich," Sir, the danger of a

moneyed aristocracy," Sir, I admo-

nish the people against the object of

cries like this. I admonish every in-

telligent laborer in the country to be

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Advertisers should make a note of the fact
that the Transcript is one of the best adver-
tising mediums on the Peninsula.

SATURDAY MORNING, SEPT. 28, 1878.

Local Affairs.

Our Baltimore letter is crowded out.

Read Reynolds Jr. Co's new advertisement.

A thunder shower, Thursday evening, was
followed by real Autumn weather Friday
morning, and fires were kindled generally.

A. H. Russell will ornament his depart-
ment at the Fair with a mammoth Buffalo
head.

Sarah A. Atherton has sold a piece of land,
situate in Blackbird hundred and containing
160 acres, to a Philadelphia party. Terms
private.

Everybody and his wife are preparing for
the fair and even butters and eggs are selling
in near approach and taking an upward trend
already.

Mr. Horning, the artist, is now at the corner
of Broad and Lake streets with his traveling
studio and will take your picture in a superior
manner and at a reasonable price.

Our genial friend, Dr. C. P. Gilpin, has
opened an office and commenced the practice
of dentistry at Galesburg, Md. Charlie is mas-
ter of the profession which he has chosen, and
we wish him success and plenty of it.

Those who intend to compete for premiums
at the Fair and have not already notified the
Secretary of the Association, should send in
their entries as early as possible, in order to
avoid the rush which always occurs on the
opening day.

Tuesday next on "Little Election" will be
held, Road Commissioners, Inspectors and
Assessors, will be voted for. As "our
friends, the enemy," have named no ticket in
St. Georges Hundred, our little election will
be a little, one-sided affair.

Among the exhibits from this vicinity dis-
played at the Dover Fair were 32 Berkshire
hogs belonging to Mr. L. Naudain; a
number of Southdown sheep belonging to S.
P. Shalton; and 137 exhibition of canned
fruit displayed by Mrs. Thomas Cochran.

Harry Russell, the enterprising harness
manufacturer and dealer, of Middletown,
speaks to the public through a new adver-
tisement this week. He has just returned from
Philadelphia with a large and superior inven-
tion of goods in his line and will have a splendid
exhibit at the Fair.

Samuel Townsend, Esq., has produced the
champion pig apples this season, three of
which are on exhibition at this office. They
are of the pink variety, one of them weigh-
ing twenty and the others nineteen ounces
each. As the local editor hasn't eaten them
yet they can be seen during the Fair week
at the Transcript office.

The Sunday Times is after the "Grant Rem-
edy Manufacturing Co." of Worcester, Mass.,
because they do not pay their advertising
contracts. Newspapers have been swindled
by such parties long enough, and it is time to
say Amen! We propose, in the future, to
publish under the head of "Grants," the name
of every individual or company that re-
fuses to fulfill his or their contracts.

The season is now here when the average
father of the family will begin to skimpish
with the stovepipe, and, as he stands on a
chair vainly endeavoring to push the big end
of a joint into the little end of another, his
better-half will start quietly by the
stump of patience on her brow and a little
smile on her nose, and tell him if she was in
his place she would be a little careful of the
kind of language she used before the children.

The much talked of base ball game be-
tween the "Mutuals" of Odessa, and the
"Boiling" of Queenstown, was played at
Odessa, Saturday last, resulting in a victory
for the latter club. Score 16 to 10. Seven
innings only were played. Several members
of the Mutual Club were absent, as is usually
the case when a "tight game" is to be played.

On our first page this week we conclude
Senator Bayard's New York address, the pub-
lication of which we commenced four weeks
ago. This address has recently been published
in pamphlet form, the proceeds from the sale
of which are to be donated to mission purposes
connected with the Newport M. E. Church,
and copies may be had in any quantity of
Messrs. James & Webb, Wilmington, Del. We
acknowledge the receipt of a copy of the pam-
phlet.

Our merchants have all made great prepa-
rations for the rush of trade that will be upon
them during the Fair week. They will probably
never have a larger or finer display of goods in
any country town than can be found in Mid-
dletown mercantile establishments at the pre-
sent time. Reynolds & Co., W. H. Moore &
Co., Chas. Tatum and G. W. W. Naudain,
laid in heavy invoices of merchandise during
last week and the early part of this week, and
M. L. Hardcastle has just returned from Phil-
adelphia with a new stock.

The popular magazines will be furnished
with the Transcript at the following rates:
Harpers', \$5.25; Scribner's, \$5.25;
Lippincott's, \$5.25; Peterson's Ladies' Mag-
azine, \$3.50; and St. Nicholas, \$4.40. Terms
cash in advance, invariably. Those who
have been taking Scribner's and St. Nicholas
in connection with the Transcript, and whose
subscriptions expired with the October num-
ber, will please notify us immediately if they
wish to renew. Quite a number of such have
been received, and a new volume of Scribner's
commenced about the middle of October, this is
the best time to subscribe for this popular
publication.

The new buildings now being erected in
Middletown are rapidly approaching comple-
tion. The dwelling being erected for Mr. J.
B. Ford, on Main street, is now enclosed and
will indeed be one of the handsomest struc-
tures in our town. The work on Mr. Tatum's
new dwelling is far enough advanced so that
it will show that the many other commodious
ones that have been erected here this season.
Mr. Drummond's new cottage on
Green street is nearly completed and has re-
cently been enclosed with a neat and hand-
some fence. A new cottage has been com-
menced on Broad street, south of Green, for
Messrs. D. D. and J. J. D. and we learn that
many more improvements in Middletown
are to be commenced in the Spring. More good
buildings early in the Spring. More good
buildings early in the Spring. More good
buildings early in the Spring.

The "fat woman" was on exhibition just
outside the Dover fair grounds.

The Bunker Hill Murder.

The following are the particulars of the fatal
shooting at Bunker Hill, which occurred
on Thursday of last week, and a mention of
which was made in our last issue:
Sam Podget, the victim, was an inoffensive
and half-witted colored man. On the morn-
ing of the shooting, M. L. Hardcastle, of Mid-
dletown, employed him to sweep off the side-
walk in front of his store; after doing this
job it appears he longed for rural scenes and
walked out to "Bunkers," where congenial
companions were supposed to congregate. In
company with this place, Podget, who pre-
tended to be a sort of "conjuror," got into an alter-
cation with one Jane Tiller, a colored woman of
middle age. Soon both parties left the store,
Podget going to the house of George Nokes,
also colored, and the woman to her own home
after which she went to Nokes' house, where
he and the man with whom she had had the
altercation were sitting in the door. When
she came in front of the door she was pro-
duced to "get up," at the same time producing a
 pistol. Nokes immediately arose and Podget
fired his example, when the woman, Tiller,
leveled the weapon at him and fired, the ball
striking him in the abdominal region and in-
flicting a wound from the effects of which he
died on Friday morning. Medical aid was
sent for but failed to arrive. An inquest was
held on Saturday and a verdict rendered in
accordance with the facts. It appears that
the difficulty was experienced in the newspaper
Pennsylvania Herald, was interrupted by a
telegram from the publisher of a Wilmington
newspaper for two hundred words about the
Hawthorne murder. Now, we had taken
no trouble to investigate the matter; in fact,
we had not been upon the scene of the tragedy
nor heard the evidence before the coroner's
jury, but always standing ready to aid and
assist a brother sufferer in the newspaper
cause, we immediately put off, gathered up
the main particulars of the murder and tele-
graphed them as requested to the Wilmington
publisher. So far all right; but when the
"Murder in Middletown" appeared as a
"special despatch" over our initials, and with
a great deal added that we did not tele-
graph or even think of, we concluded that
that publisher was not doing the fair thing by
us. Had he left our initials off we would
have said nothing, but as it is we are under
the necessity of giving the "special despatch"
a little bit of a review. In the first place,
he did not say that "this usually quiet town was
thrown into a state of intense excitement," be-
cause this is not a "usually quiet town," be-
cause the intense excitement may have existed
in Hawthorne but it certainly did not reach Mid-
dletown. People got up at the usual hour of
rising, ate their breakfast and went to church,
and some did not learn of the murder until
several hours after it was committed. We
admit the "state of intense excitement" was
the reporter's stereotyped phrase, but, as we
did not use it in this case, and as it did not truth-
fully express the situation, we object to it.
A little further down the "special despatch" says
that "Wilson was seen going towards the
house just after the murder was made known,
and Draper was found cutting wood in the
yard." Now, we object to that sentence, be-
cause Wilson certainly could not be seen "go-
ing towards the house" after he had been
murdered, nor is it likely that Draper after
committing the deed would continue "cutting
wood in the yard." The "special despatch"
continues, "after a thorough examination by
the case, a verdict was rendered." Now,
whoever heard tell of a verdict in a murder
case? We sincerely hope that the not Wil-
mington publisher who telegraphs us "for two
hundred words" about a murder, a dog fight,
or any other unusual occurrence, will either
draw less liberally from his imagination or
leave out our initials. If we do not have as-
surance of this, we shall let the Wilmington
publisher thirst for knowledge, or else send
down a representative.

The Hawthorne Murder.

Hawthorne is a small colored settlement sit-
uated just beyond the limits of Middletown. It
is inhabited exclusively by colored people,
who there have their church and school, and
an exception of an occasional trivial
"difficulty," get along in a quiet and orderly
manner. Several little law-suits about women
slander, etc., have been brought before the
"Squire by the denizens of the 'suburb,'" dur-
ing the past year, but generally speaking, the
colored people who live out there have con-
ducted themselves in an exemplary manner.
Many of them have accumulated a little money
and live for themselves comfortable homes.
Up to Sunday last the village has produced
no greater sensation than a big meeting, and
no greater excitement than a big meeting, and
at an early hour in the morning, the report
was circulated in Middletown that one
colored man had, with an axe, murdered an-
other, many did not believe it and walked out
to verify the fact. The report was correct
and the following are the particulars of the
tragedy as near as we can learn them:
John Wilson, a victim, was the owner of a
small house in Hawthorne in which George
Draper, a colored man, lived.

Programme of Services. M. E. Church.

The Sunday morning class will meet at the
church at the usual hour. Preaching in the
tent at 10 1/2 o'clock. Sunday School at 2
P. M., at the Church. Preaching at the tent
in the evening at 7 1/2 o'clock. All are invited.
Revival meetings in the evening during the
week.

The Dover Fair.

The First Annual Fair of the Kent County
Agricultural Association was formally open-
ed on Tuesday last and continued until yesterday.
It was inaugurated under a threatening sky,
with occasional showers falling nearly every
day during which it was held. The buildings,
grounds and the manner in which the Fair
was conducted reflect great credit upon the
managers, and speak well for the enterprise
and "go-a-head-iveness" of the Kent county
people, while the exhibits were large, varied
and meritorious and displayed in a manner
that showed the direction of practiced hands
and cultured tastes. There were about 1000
people, only, on the ground during the open-
ing day, which was showery in the morning
and threatening all day. Hon. N. B. Smith-
ers delivered the presentation address and
Judge Houston the acceptance, after which ex-
Judge Wm. Fallerton of New York, told the
people that he knew about farming. There
were three prizes of special during the day, the
first being for \$3.00 horses, for a purse of \$100;
\$35 to the first, \$30 to the second and \$15 to
the third. This race was won by Alex. Mac-
millan's s. John C. Frank taking second
money and Tom third. Time, 2:46, 2:42, 2:45.
The second race was the 2:35 class, for
four horses, Lady Sharpe, Hallie, Annie V.
and Rose Medium, and easily won by the latter
in three straight heats. Time, 2:37, 2:38, 2:39.
The third race, Time, 2:37, 2:38, 2:39. The
concluding race of Tuesday was for 2:45 horses,
for a purse of \$200, the entries being Sherman
Morgan, Judgment, Lyman, Belle of New
York, Clara Morgan, Lady May, Mollie, Pilot,
Orange Boy and Palmer Boy. Morgan won
the race in three straight heats, Judgment sec-
ond, Palmer Boy third. Time, 2:39, 2:38,
2:39.

Change of Time.

The fall arrangement of the Delaware Divi-
sion of the P. & W. & B. railroad went into
effect on Monday last, Sept. 23d. The follow-
ing is the new schedule for our near-by sta-
tions:

GOING NORTH. A. M. P. M.
Towson, 7:37 10:57 6:40
Middletown, 8:02 11:22 6:12
Mt. Pleasant, 8:27 11:47 5:47
Kirkwood, 8:52 12:12 5:12

GOING SOUTH. A. M. P. M.
Kirkwood, 8:52 12:12 5:12
Middletown, 9:07 12:27 5:27
Mt. Pleasant, 9:32 12:52 5:52
Towson, 9:57 1:17 6:17

It will be observed that there is no change
in the time of the early morning train going
north, nor the evening train leaving Philadel-
phia at 5:15.

Proclamation of the Democratic Legislative Ticket.

By virtue of my appointment by the "Demo-
cratic Meeting" of New Castle County, and
in accordance with the rules of the Democratic
party, I hereby announce and proclaim that
an election was held in all the election dis-
tricts in the county on the last Saturday
of September, instant, and that by a
review of the certificates received from the
judges of said election and the returns pub-
lished, it is made manifest that the following
highly respectable gentlemen respectively
have received majorities or pluralities over
their honorable competitors and were duly
and acceptably nominated as candidates of the
Democratic Party to be voted for at the Gen-
eral Election on the Second Tuesday in No-
vember, 1878, for the respective offices for
which they are named, viz:

FOR STATE SENATORS.
J. Wilkins Cook, of Pendered Hill.
Charles H. McWhorter, of Red Lion.

FOR REPRESENTATIVES.
James W. Ware, of Wilmington.
Dr. Switzer, of New Castle.
William Dean, of White Clay Creek.
John Dorman, of Christiana.
Giles Landrum, of New Castle.
Edwin R. Cochran, of St. Georges.
William E. Riggs, Jr., of Blackbird.

FOR LEVY COURT COMMISSIONERS.
William R. Bright, of Red Lion.
William Polk, of St. Georges.
William R. Morrison, of Mill Creek.
William L. Ward, of White Clay Creek.
James T. Taylor, of Appoquinimink.
Henry H. Welch, of Blackbird.

And I do further proclaim that by reason
of a meeting to hear and determine contests in
one or more of the districts, that the said ticket
has formally received the unanimous
sanction and confirmation of the County Demo-
cratic Executive Committee, and that it is
the bounden duty of every voter who partici-
pates in said election, to sustain and
vote for the whole ticket, or "nominate,"
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